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In re U.S. Patent Application of:

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TITLE: DEVICE, SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREDICTIVE FAILURE ANALYSIS

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This paper is herewith filed in response to the Office Action mailed on May 30, 2006, for the above-captioned U.S. Patent Application. This paper is filed within one month after the expiration of the shortened statutory period. Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time. Please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0466 for a one month extension of time fee of \$ 120. Please charge deposit account no.: 09-0466 for any required fee deficiency.

Please amend the application as shown below.